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## Central Valley Regional Water Quality Control Board

16 September 2019

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**NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING  
AND  
TENTATIVE ORDER  
AMENDING WASTE DISCHARGE REQUIREMENTS  
ORDER R5-2016-0045-01 (NPDES PERMIT CA0085146)**

**FOR**

**BEAR VALLEY WATER DISTRICT  
BEAR VALLEY WASTEWATER TREATMENT FACILITY  
ALPINE COUNTY**

**TO ALL CONCERNED PERSONS AND AGENCIES:**

Enclosed is the tentative Order amending Waste Discharge Requirements Order R5-2016-0045-01 for the Bear Valley Water District (Discharger), Bear Valley Wastewater Treatment Facility (Facility). Any comments or recommendations you may have concerning the proposed Order should be submitted to this office via email to [RB5S-NPDES-Comments@waterboards.ca.gov](mailto:RB5S-NPDES-Comments@waterboards.ca.gov) no later than 5:00 p.m. on **16 October 2019** in order for us to give them full consideration prior to the meeting of the Central Valley Regional Water Quality Control Board (Central Valley Water Board). Written material submitted after 5:00 p.m. on **16 October 2019** will not be accepted and will not be incorporated into the administrative record absent a ruling by the Board Chair. Any party requesting to submit late materials must demonstrate good cause for the late submission, and the Chair must find that accepting the late submission will not prejudice the Central Valley Water Board or any Designated Party.

A Public Hearing has been scheduled for the Central Valley Water Board to consider adoption of the proposed Order at its **5/6 December 2019** Board Meeting. A Notice of Public Hearing (Notice) concerning the proposed Order is also enclosed. Regulations require that the Discharger post one (1) copy of the Notice at the nearest city hall or county courthouse, one (1) copy at the post office nearest to the Facility (if allowed), and one (1) copy at the public entrance to the Facility. Please post the Notice as soon

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KARL E. LONGLEY ScD, P.E., CHAIR | PATRICK PULUPA, ESQ., EXECUTIVE OFFICER

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as possible and provide proof of posting, using the enclosed form, by  
**30 September 2019.**

To conserve resources, this letter transmits a paper copy of the tentative Order package to the Discharger only. Interested persons may contact Danielle Goode at (916) 464-4843 or [danielle.goode@waterboards.ca.gov](mailto:danielle.goode@waterboards.ca.gov). Copies of the document may also be obtained by contacting or visiting the Central Valley Water Board's office at 11020 Sun Center Drive, Suite 200, Rancho Cordova, California 95670, weekdays between 8:00 a.m. and 5:00 p.m.

If you have any questions regarding the proposed Order, please contact Danielle Goode at the contact information listed above.

*ORIGINAL SIGNED BY*

Kari Holmes, P.E., Senior Engineer  
NPDES Permitting, San Joaquin Delta Unit

Enclosures (3):  
Tentative Order (Discharger Only)  
Notice of Public Hearing (Discharger Only)  
Proof of Posting Form (Discharger Only)

cc:  
Elizabeth Sablad, USEPA, Region IX, San Francisco (via email only)  
Peter Kozelka, USEPA Region IX, San Francisco (via email only)  
US Army Corp of Engineers, Sacramento  
US Fish and Wildlife Service, Sacramento  
US National Marine Fisheries Service, Santa Rosa  
State Office of Historic Preservation, Sacramento  
Afrooz Farsimadan, State Water Resources Control Board, Sacramento (via email only)  
Bhupinder Sahota, State Water Resources Control Board, Division of Drinking Water,  
Stockton District  
Regional Manager, Department of Fish & Wildlife, Region II, Rancho Cordova  
Environmental Health Services, Alpine County, Markleeville  
Kevin Kauffman, P.E., Stockton East Water District, Stockton  
Debbie Webster, Central Valley Clean Water Association, Sacramento (via email only)  
Bill Jennings, California Sportfishing Protection Alliance, Stockton  
Richard McHenry, California Sportfishing Protection Alliance (via email only)  
Washoe Tribe of Nevada and California